(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what are the details of RITES participation in global tenders for various projects ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The contract is for operation and maintenance of the newly-constructed Baghdad-Al-Qaim-Akashat high speed railway line in Iraq, covering 514 route kms. The contract value is Rs. 182 crores.

(c) RITES offers in response to global tenders are under consideration in Sudan, Yemen and Botswana.

Grants sanctioned to and expenditure incurred by KVS

1787. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the details of amount sanctioned under different heads of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for the financial year 1988-89 by Government;

(b) what are the details of amount actually utilised under each head; and

(c) what are the details of donation etc. given by Parent Teachers Association etc. to Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan or different KVS-Vidyalaya-wise in respect of concerned school ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER) : (a) An amount of Rs. 11663.00 lakhs including an amount of Rs. 775.20 lakhs which was allowed to be carried forward from the previous year, was sanctioned during 1988-89.

(b) The details of accounts utilised will be available after consolidation of annual accounts.

(c) Parent Teachers Association give donations to Kendriya Vidyalayas directly. Details of such donations are not maintained at Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (Headquarters).

Teachers/Officers of Kendriya Vidyalaya on deputation to Navodaya Vidyalayas

1788. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) what are the details of teachers/officers of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan who are on deputation to Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti and Navodaya Vidyalayas run by it as on date; and

(b) what are the conditions that govern such deputations?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER) : (a) Eighteen deputationists from the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan are working as officers under the Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti. Forty five deputationists are working as Principals of Vidyalayas under the Samiti. The information regarding teachers on deputation in various Navodaya Vidyalayas is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House on receipt.

(b) The terms and conditions of the selected officers for deputation are regulated in accordance with the instructions contained in Ministry of Finance O.M. No. 10(24)-E.III/60 dated 4th May 1961, as amended from time to time.

Compensation to the relatives of the victims of Karnataka Express

1789. SHRI PUTTAPAGA RADHAKRISHNA : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) what are the number of applications claiming compensation received from the relatives of the passengers of Karnataka Express which met with accident on the 18th April, 1989;